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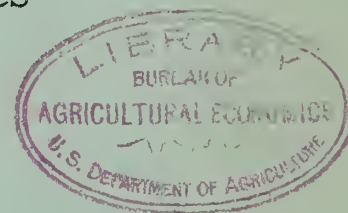
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FOREWORD

The Iowa Crop and Livestock Reporting Service is the Iowa unit of a nation-wide organization which is entrusted with the responsibility of operating a standard statistical service for agriculture. The Division of Agricultural Statistics is a division of the Iowa State Department of Agriculture working in cooperation with the Agricultural Marketing Service of the United States Department of Agriculture. The year 1939 marked the one-hundredth anniversary of the collection of statistics of agriculture in the United States.

The general program of the Iowa Crop and Livestock Reporting Service is to meet the public needs and demands for summary data of a historical nature and for current statistical information of agricultural production in Iowa and the United States.

In recent years, there has been an increasing demand from agricultural organizations, commercial interests, teachers, legislators, and county, state and governmental agencies for agricultural data showing the trends of change in counties. Little has been done in the past to make available data for each county over an extended period of time. So urgent is the need for county data that some organizations have assembled such information at considerable cost. It is in response to these needs that this series is being issued.

The county data herein offered have been assembled from existing State and Federal documents and reports, under the supervision of Norman V. Strand, State-wide Work Projects Administration Supervisor of Agricultural Economics and Statistics projects. This is a report of work completed on Official Project 65-1-72-155 of the Work Projects Administration. Official Project 665-72-3-36 furnished the material for Tables 21 and 23.

The Iowa Agricultural Extension Service participated in the preparation of the materials in this report. Selected data from the files of the Iowa Agricultural Experiment Station have been released for publication in this series. Special credit is given to the Iowa assessors and tax officials who collect data on crops and livestock as required under the Iowa laws. Without these data by townships and counties detailed agricultural statistics would be less accurate and less complete.

Leslie M. Carl, Director
Division of Agricultural Statistics

Des Moines, Iowa
July, 1940

IOWA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS -- HENRY COUNTY

Henry County was first established in December, 1836, from the original county of Des Moines. It embraced portions of the present counties of Lee, Des Moines, Van Buren, Jefferson and Washington. On the 21st of January, 1839 it was established with its present boundaries and named for Governor Henry Dodge of Wisconsin Territory.

In the spring of 1834 James Dawson made a claim a short distance west of the present site of Mount Pleasant. In the fall of the same year Presley Saunders made a claim where Mount Pleasant is now located and in the following year he made the first plat of the town. In 1837 the Legislature of Wisconsin located the county-seat at Mount Pleasant where a post office had been opened the previous year. The county was formally organized in 1837 by the election of its officers. 1/

Another settlement was begun in the year 1834 by Prentice Yeoman and five other men who came from the east and established a trading post. They later platted a town which was called Baltimore after Baltimore, Maryland, the home of several of the party. Its location was in Section 19, Baltimore Township, at the mouth of Big Creek on the North side of Skunk River. 2/

The post-master at Mount Pleasant was Alvin Saunders who later became State Senator and still later the Governor of Nebraska Territory. 3/

The Burlington and Missouri Railroad was the first railroad within the county. Its construction was started in May, 1854 and completed as far as Rome, making 35.22 miles of track, when it opened June, 1859. The road was continued to Fairfield the same year. 4/

Area

Henry County is 24 miles long and 18 miles wide embracing 427 square miles 5/ or 273,280 acres. Of this number 261,288 acres are listed as farm lands. 6/ There are 12 townships, all of which coincide with the Congressional townships in area. The county ranks 64 in point of size, sharing this place with Adams and Union Counties.

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- 1/ Gue, B. F., History of Iowa. The Century History Co., New York City. 1903 Vol. III. pp.357-358.
 - 2/ History of Henry County, Iowa. Western Publishing Co., Chicago, Illinois. 1879. p. 550; also a clipping from the Mt. Pleasant News, Oct. 21, 1935.
 - 3/ Andreas, A. T., Historical Atlas of Iowa. Andreas Atlas Co., Chicago, Ill 1875. p. 406.
 - 4/ Board of Railroad Commissioners' Report #19. State of Iowa. F. R. Conaway, State Printer, Des Moines, Iowa., 1897. p. 189.
 - 5/ Fifteenth Census of the U. S. 1930. Populations., Vol. 1. pp. 362-363.
 - 6/ U. S. Census of Agriculture. Iowa. 1935. p. 13.

Soils

The soils of Henry County have been grouped into three classes according to origin and location; namely, loess, terrace and swamp and bottom land. The loess soils comprise 91.3 per cent of the entire surface and are divided into Grundy silt loams--54.3 per cent; the Clinton silt loams--26.9 per cent; Marion silt loam--4.8 per cent; Lindley loam 4.8 per cent; Knox fine sand--0.4 per cent and Putnam silt loam--0.1 per cent. The terrace soils cover 3.1 per cent of the county and are divided into Jackson silt loam--1.8 per cent; Calhoun silt loam--0.8 per cent and Buckner very fine sandy loam--0.5 per cent. The swamp and bottom land soils cover 5.6 per cent of the area and are divided into the Wabash silt loams--3.1 per cent and the Genesee loams--2.5 per cent. 7/

Topography

There are two rather distinct topographic areas in Henry County. One is the gently undulating prairie found in the northern and northeastern parts of the county. The natural drainage of this section is poor. Along the county line east of New London are numerous rounded ridges and irregular hills. Throughout the remainder of the county the topography is rolling to steeply rolling or hilly, with small, isolated, level areas, the largest of which is near Salem. The Skunk River and its tributaries drain most of this section of the county. Numerous sand hills are found along the Skunk River in southwestern Jefferson township and northwestern Trenton township. 8/

Climate

The average temperature of Henry County was 51 degrees for the thirty-six years (1894-1930). The rainfall for 54 years (1876-1930) averaged 34.15 inches and the mean growing season was 168 days between the average dates of April 25 and October 10 for the thirty-four years (1894-1930). 9/

Population

The Territorial census of 1840 gave this county a population of 3,756. It had a steady growth until in peak year of 1875 the enumeration (State) gave it 21,123. It has a density of 41 per square mile as compared with the State figure of 44. The following table shows the enumerations at ten year intervals:

7/ Soil Survey of Iowa, Henry County. Report #15. September, 1920. p. 11
Agricultural Experiment Station,
Ames, Iowa

8/ Ibid. p. 7

9/ Climatic Summary of the U. S. #52 Eastern Iowa. pp. 26-21-27

<u>Year</u>	<u>Inhabitants</u>	<u>Urban</u>	<u>Rural</u>
1850	8,707	-	-
1860	18,701	-	-
1870	21,463	-	-
1880	20,936	-	-
1890	18,895	-	-
1900	20,022	7,129	12,893
1910	18,640	7,568	11,172
1920	18,298 <u>10/</u>	8,236 <u>11/</u>	10,062
1930	17,660 <u>12/</u>	7,947	9,713
1935	-	-	8,395 <u>13/</u>

In 1930 foreign born and native white of foreign born and mixed parentage in Henry County was 3,263, those of German descent had 1,081, and the Swedes 659. The French and Irish had about 250 each and the other nationalities were represented by small numbers. 14/

Cooperatives

In 1937 there were 13 cooperative institutions in operation in this county--six elevators, three livestock enterprises, one petroleum plant and three merchandise establishments.

As a whole they had 1,049 members of which 761 were active, and 2,551 persons did business with the 13 concerns. The selling cooperatives had a business volume of \$519,312 and the purchasing cooperatives did \$183,393 worth of business.

Cooperatives may both buy and sell or they may perform one or the other function exclusively. Purchasing cooperatives buy non-farm commodities for distribution to their members and patrons, and selling cooperatives market farm commodities for their members and patrons. 15/

Fruit

The year 1874 had the largest number of apple trees in the history of the county. 131,873 trees and 99,150 bushels were reported. The poorest year had but 17,529 trees with a production of 19,882 bushels. The largest listing of peaches was in 1909 when 44,172 trees were reported. Cherries were highest in 1874--31,274 trees producing 13,654 bushels being listed. The lowest year 1934 showed 2,701 trees having a production of 1,096 bushels. The top grape year was 1894 which showed 30,051 vines having a production of 381,592 pounds. 16/

10/ State Census of Iowa. 1925. pp. 710-711.

11/ Ibid. p. 925 et seq.

12/ Iowa Official Register. 1937-1938. pp. 368 et seq.

13/ U. S. Census of Agriculture. Iowa. 1935. p. 15.

14/ Fifteenth Census of the U. S. 1930. Vol. 111, Part 1. Tables 18-19. pp. 785-786-787-788.

15/ Unpublished data from: Omaha Farm Credit Administration and Iowa State College.

16/ State Census Reports of 1874-1884-1894 and Federal Census Reports of 1909 and 1934.

Note Regarding Yields of Corn

The crop assessors' statistical breakdown for corn acreage is as follows: (1) all corn, (2) corn husked for grain, (3) corn cut for silage, (4) corn cut for fodder and (5) corn hogged off. A total production is given for each farm which includes only that actually husked. In getting county totals of production the acreage other than that husked is multiplied by the yield (derived by dividing total bushels corn husked by total acres husked) and added to summations of individual farm productions shown as husked. This assumes that acreage not husked would have produced the same yield as that actually husked.

In 1934 and 1936, both poor crop years, separate estimations of corn yield on acreage not husked were made by the state assessors' office because it was felt that farmers in those years would select their best acreages for husking and cut or hog off the rest, which would have a different and lower yield. This separate yield estimation was then multiplied by the acreage not husked and the total added to that reported as husked.

This was done by counties only and not by townships. The township yields for these two years then, are somewhat high since they are based on acreage husked for grain and bushels husked, only. The total corn acreage is shown by township with this yield and any attempt to multiply it by the acreage shown to get total production will result in a too high figure. The county summary table figures for corn yield in 1934 and 1936 have been adjusted for poorer yields on that acreage not husked and these yields may legitimately be multiplied by the acreages shown there to arrive at total productions for the county.

In all other years actual township productions may be derived from the yield and acreage figures shown in the tables since corn yield has been assumed to be equal in all utilizations. The county yield and township yields are therefore consistent in all years except 1934 and 1936.

TABLE 1
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS, 1929-38
County Summary

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	1847	264075	143	68301	41	29490	33	4082	17	410	22
1930	1874	263299	141	67869	34	30328	34	3891	20	206	20
1931	1882	264129	140	73850	42	28737	36	3117	20	92	20
1932	1869	264382	141	76769	50	31729	35	2243	16	86	25
1933	1855	264350	143	72929	46	30513	26	1878	19	244	13
1934	1917	263843	138	55624	14	7728	9	1870	14	-	-
1935	1863	263639	142	56515	43	15999	29	2715	17	-	-
1936	1872	263139	141	66110	17	17442	20	3943	16	4	1
1937	1845	262443	142	70546	57	24813	57	8082	17	21	32
1938	1850	263703	143	66584	47	27584	35	6102	21	145	22
10 Yr. Ave.	1867	263700	141	67510	40	24436	33	3792	18	121	20

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	414	13	1202	21	668	5434	24	412	30208
1930	178	9	3977	17	824	1543	-	501	29607
1931	89	12	2796	21	1682	2511	-	542	30811
1932	26	12	1584	25	656	2391	-	682	29559
1933	115	11	3485	23	685	2371	-	828	33823
1934	44	8	6321	18	456	1026	-	1376	39641
1935	413	12	12048	18	5000	1232	-	1725	37856
1936	304	10	7089	19	358	142	18	2310	29693
1937	998	18	9297	24	1584	-	29	1829	21365
1938	912	15	10346	24	1250	1916	49	2206	23984
10 Yr. Ave.	349	14	5814	21	1316	1857	12	1241	30655

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	112241	379	10940	567	1462	3687
1930	-	108266	709	11112	447	1514	4371
1931	-	108531	337	11127	624	1323	1013
1932	-	107325	144	11432	1143	1282	404
1933	4	105199	520	11208	1577	1488	682
1934	-	115740	1094	11513	1112	1035	21665
1935	-	109513	2247	11072	2707	1687	5867
1936	50	117712	482	11691	1857	1133	5253
1937	-	108576	808	11071	2176	1382	1695
1938	-	108115	856	12093	1714	961	3008
10 Yr. Ave.	5	110122	758	11326	1392	1327	4764

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 29
Popcorn 7 Flaxseed 126
(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture.
Division of Agricultural
Statistics.

TABLE 2
ACREAGE AND YIELDS OF HAY
County Summary

Year	Mixed Clover & Timothy		Alfalfa		Wild Hay		All Tame Hay	
	Acres	Tons per Acre	Acres	Tons per Acre	Acres	Tons per Acre	Acres	Tons per Acre
1929	16558	1.37	412	2.70	-	-	30208	1.50
1930	15130	1.32	501	2.58	-	-	29607	1.42
1931	10767	1.30	542	2.68	-	-	30811	1.29
1932	10704	1.29	682	2.92	-	-	29559	1.31
1933	23808	.99	828	2.67	4	.65	33823	1.06
1934	25684	.75	1376	1.81	-	-	39641	.88
1935	27643	1.70	1725	2.87	-	-	37856	1.71
1936	20645	.40	2310	1.45	50	1.10	29693	.53
1937	9758	1.28	1829	2.15	-	-	21365	1.46
1938	14674	1.15	2206	1.38	-	-	23984	1.27
10 Yr. Ave.	18037	1.12	1241	2.17	5	1.07	30655	1.25

Source: Division of Agricultural Statistics.
Iowa Department of Agriculture.

TABLE 3
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Baltimore Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	140	22310	159	2749	38	997	33	348	15	16	19
1930	140	22339	160	2621	26	1011	28	366	15	19	15
1931	140	22353	160	3395	40	920	32	274	18	14	17
1932	140	22385	160	3646	42	1278	25	196	9	-	-
1933	140	22378	160	3685	38	1229	17	40	11	-	-
1934	140	22385	160	2654	17	312	7	85	8	-	-
1935	126	22703	180	2526	38	506	28	108	14	-	-
1936	134	22491	168	2907	16	414	16	317	17	-	-
1937	131	22487	172	2854	49	816	51	327	10	-	-
1938	133	22398	168	2922	40	1203	31	209	16	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	136	22423	164	2996	38	869	27	227	14	5	17

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	35	6	25	14	74	748	-	27	2173
1930	23	10	116	6	48	213	-	26	1918
1931	-	-	98	20	112	580	-	22	2026
1932	5	7	80	19	125	438	-	29	2271
1933	30	5	158	19	130	366	-	18	2514
1934	-	-	203	10	25	179	-	25	2387
1935	15	17	472	18	270	72	-	52	2141
1936	4	16	289	11	20	31	8	66	1894
1937	75	19	221	16	180	-	29	68	1567
1938	80	16	260	17	122	263	-	108	1891
10 Yr. Ave.	27	14	192	15	111	289	4	44	2078

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	13134	37	828	80	300	1514
1930	-	14439	29	867	-	280	602
1931	-	14516	50	723	165	45	15
1932	-	13846	33	733	145	-	27
1933	-	13554	81	639	133	99	86
1934	-	15137	64	657	20	18	823
1935	-	13500	57	537	2190	-	381
1936	-	13856	115	557	1635	20	455
1937	-	14122	54	535	1528	80	99
1938	-	13300	116	746	1370	-	179
10 Yr. Ave.	-	13940	64	682	727	84	418

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 0 *Included in "All Tame Hay".
 Popcorn 0 Flaxseed .4 Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture.
 (Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops") Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 4
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Canaan Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreages in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	148	23003	155	10340	46	5023	36	500	21	166	25
1930	146	22983	157	9957	41	4702	37	308	22	30	23
1931	149	22983	154	10308	46	4469	35	176	21	-	-
1932	149	22964	154	10223	58	5174	39	106	22	15	20
1933	147	22972	156	9413	54	4870	30	141	27	70	17
1934	151	22951	152	7354	23	931	10	172	17	-	-
1935	152	23123	152	7940	52	2336	33	122	28	-	-
1936	151	23001	152	9282	20	2370	24	237	29	-	-
1937	147	22854	155	9700	62	3377	65	866	18	2	35
1938	145	22794	157	8971	54	3062	40	504	24	20	25
10 Yr. Ave.	148	22963	155	9349	46	3631	37	313	22	30	23

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	-	-	412	27	8	-	-	38	1638
1930	-	-	1137	22	16	25	-	29	2377
1931	-	-	983	24	8	101	-	25	2473
1932	-	-	612	28	-	-	-	10	2579
1933	-	-	1244	28	17	40	-	25	3205
1934	-	-	2068	21	20	105	-	22	3640
1935	15	14	3417	19	788	-	-	66	2872
1936	14	20	2589	21	13	-	10	66	2159
1937	51	20	2799	28	123	-	-	36	1093
1938	33	22	3459	28	91	20	11	94	1376
10 Yr. Ave.	11	20	1872	24	108	29	2	41	2341

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	3819	20	1077	-	-	-
1930	-	3454	10	992	-	-	-
1931	-	3528	101	937	-	-	-
1932	-	3282	30	923	-	-	20
1933	-	2991	87	886	-	-	48
1934	-	4568	112	952	3	29	3102
1935	-	4209	502	842	2	-	78
1936	-	4269	43	923	-	-	1092
1937	-	3555	88	991	-	-	209
1938	-	3533	91	1039	-	-	604
10 Yr. Ave.	0	3721	108	956	.5	3	515

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 6

Flaxseed 37 Popcorn 5

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 5
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Center Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	128	19154	150	4115	40	1681	33	258	19	22	20
1930	130	18833	145	3864	31	1861	32	216	22	7	10
1931	135	18934	140	4491	41	1591	33	237	21	-	-
1932	137	18440	135	4479	49	1884	33	61	17	22	30
1933	134	19037	142	4116	43	1773	22	149	17	9	2
1934	134	18899	141	2348	20	56	12	101	11	-	-
1935	126	19382	154	3322	37	1043	23	112	12	-	-
1936	145	19212	132	3823	14	1271	20	191	17	-	-
1937	131	19107	146	4210	52	1759	52	359	16	3	33
1938	138	19036	138	3663	45	1734	32	354	23	100	18
10 Yr. Ave.	134	19003	142	3893	41	1465	32	204	18	16	19

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	20	12	81	15	41	219	-	-	2954
1930	10	12	93	18	31	118	-	83	2718
1931	10	10	39	24	138	210	-	74	3118
1932	5	8	10	30	52	76	-	44	2564
1933	-	-	17	28	60	34	-	76	2975
1934	-	-	85	13	20	17	-	326	3334
1935	35	6	499	15	165	27	-	199	4006
1936	56	5	193	18	-	-	-	394	2948
1937	75	21	279	23	16	-	-	235	2011
1938	22	3	240	19	-	23	-	372	2483
10 Yr. Ave.	23	11	154	18	52	72	0	180	2911

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways, Acres	Wood Lots, for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crops Land Acres
1929	-	9135	35	812	-	-	-
1930	-	8989	140	904	-	-	-
1931	-	8223	3	1084	-	-	-
1932	-	8311	1	1051	-	-	-
1933	-	8625	83	1065	-	75	90
1934	-	10252	24	1064	-	-	1115
1935	-	9007	100	1043	-	50	-
1936	-	9085	-	1489	-	87	69
1937	-	8968	50	1043	60	246	28
1938	-	8967	122	1141	-	155	55
10 Yr. Ave.	-	8956	56	1070	6	61	136

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 2

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Popcorn 0 Flaxseed 2

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture.

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 6
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Jackson Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreages in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	138	22595	164	3509	35	1596	30	471	15	14	15
1930	142	22083	156	3007	26	1297	30	543	17	10	11
1931	145	22425	155	3848	36	1597	31	375	17	15	10
1932	140	22488	161	3980	39	1620	24	332	12	-	-
1933	126	22620	180	3775	35	1398	27	294	16	-	-
1934	142	22782	160	2912	10	505	10	169	8	-	-
1935	127	22762	179	3006	36	1001	25	342	17	-	-
1936	127	22325	176	3128	14	1219	19	419	14	-	-
1937	127	22326	176	3474	52	1473	49	569	10	-	-
1938	128	22628	177	3296	44	1715	33	445	18	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	134	22503	168	3394	37	1342	30	396	15	4	12

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	27	7	87	17	239	715	-	74	2959
1930	65	5	259	12	174	192	-	59	2388
1931	21	6	130	19	182	-	-	74	2428
1932	-	-	102	17	62	382	-	135	2492
1933	25	4	131	16	59	550	-	139	2945
1934	7	2	263	13	3	-	-	204	3493
1935	25	8	294	19	310	20	-	223	2909
1936	14	12	60	10	31	-	-	308	2626
1937	109	16	108	18	144	-	-	145	2006
1938	139	14	71	22	136	25	23	340	1872
10 Yr. Ave.	43	11	150	16	134	188	2	170	2612

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	12331	82	856	118	159	147
1930	-	11809	54	1049	35	81	1312
1931	-	12211	69	966	154	172	257
1932	-	12246	1	913	247	380	113
1933	-	11646	18	948	736	558	87
1934	-	13471	114	855	20	341	629
1935	-	12795	141	866	53	501	519
1936	-	13042	47	942	66	301	430
1937	-	12624	59	886	28	488	358
1938	-	13191	36	911	9	364	420
10 Yr. Ave.	0	12537	62	919	147	334	427

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 1
 Flaxseed 0 Popcorn .1
 (Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

*Included in "All Tame Hay".
 Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture
 Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 7
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Jefferson Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreages in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	180	20876	116	5200	38	2443	31	867	17	33	23
1930	177	20570	116	4913	30	2504	32	873	20	57	22
1931	165	20501	124	5351	35	2110	35	534	20	12	15
1932	178	20863	117	5782	45	2512	36	392	18	-	-
1933	184	20994	114	5738	47	2627	25	497	22	15	13
1934	188	20987	112	4446	16	1057	9	667	16	-	-
1935	184	20758	113	4545	41	1728	25	842	18	-	-
1936	166	21746	131	5547	21	1870	18	1077	16	4	1
1937	178	21280	120	5722	56	1991	56	1739	21	11	41
1938	183	21677	118	5140	47	2198	34	1381	21	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	178	21025	118	5238	41	2104	31	887	19	13	21

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & AlsClo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	12	6	9	14	-	545	24	30	2509
1930	-	-	17	21	-	-	-	-	2437
1931	4	38	39	16	-	67	-	39	2360
1932	-	-	14	21	-	21	-	28	2173
1933	21	19	53	10	-	135	-	49	2428
1934	15	4	36	13	-	66	-	96	2686
1935	78	16	327	14	105	175	-	140	2880
1936	60	8	204	14	-	23	-	213	2610
1937	98	16	225	17	22	-	-	257	1575
1938	93	10	172	18	26	459	-	174	2121
10 Yr. Ave.	38	13	110	16	15	154	2	103	2378

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Tim- ber only Acres	Waste- land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	8271	33	1367	21	42	45
1930	-	8709	10	968	6	6	70
1931	-	8991	-	1055	-	45	-
1932	-	8923	15	1052	-	-	-
1933	-	8490	28	1033	64	-	-
1934	-	8938	18	1060	-	3	2061
1935	-	8589	64	1209	37	274	80
1936	-	8846	40	1124	-	27	337
1937	-	8835	105	1239	4	42	172
1938	-	8829	52	1325	12	58	270
10 Yr. Ave.	0	8692	36	1143	14	50	304

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 4

Flaxseed .5 Popcorn 0

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 8
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Marion Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	145	22978	158	7535	42	2951	36	258	20	59	23
1930	144	22763	158	7274	35	3040	36	188	25	-	-
1931	143	22723	159	7976	45	2776	39	139	29	4	16
1932	141	22682	161	8471	50	3046	38	102	12	5	18
1933	140	22561	161	7691	47	3074	28	-	-	24	28
1934	150	23111	154	6198	16	911	11	36	11	-	-
1935	140	22250	159	5882	49	1648	30	83	10	-	-
1936	144	22297	155	6855	18	1381	21	220	19	-	-
1937	145	22623	156	7531	60	2589	63	597	18	-	-
1938	145	22561	156	6994	49	2596	38	406	23	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	144	22655	158	7241	44	2401	36	203	20	9	24

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	4	12	55	25	31	174	-	37	2763
1930	-	-	430	22	55	59	-	56	2459
1931	-	-	283	23	98	28	-	52	2585
1932	-	-	120	23	5	-	-	116	2155
1933	4	4	1	12	-	-	-	71	2799
1934	-	-	631	17	24	53	-	90	3987
1935	-	-	1041	19	376	55	-	141	3350
1936	-	-	537	19	30	-	-	134	2434
1937	52	16	1050	26	152	-	-	109	1746
1938	14	5	1125	25	85	90	-	248	2216
10 Yr. Ave.	7	13	527	22	86	46	0	105	2649

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	8283	25	1014	-	-	-
1930	-	8095	259	963	-	-	-
1931	-	7981	-	881	-	-	-
1932	-	7807	2	880	84	5	-
1933	-	8005	32	880	7	5	39
1934	-	7721	132	1009	59	165	2238
1935	-	7587	269	1021	99	190	709
1936	-	8798	55	1094	25	243	625
1937	-	7128	199	1065	23	257	234
1938	-	7405	116	1134	-	151	311
10 Yr. Ave.	0	7880	110	994	30	102	416

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 2

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Popcorn .4 Flaxseed 12

Source:

Iowa Department of Agriculture.

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 9
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

New London Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreages in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	166	22322	134	4568	40	1955	24	61	16	-	-
1930	177	22691	128	7200	30	3360	31	136	17	64	20
1931	187	22954	123	7445	42	3104	36	102	17	33	26
1932	178	22588	127	7377	48	3264	32	135	16	39	22
1933	176	22567	128	7612	44	3269	22	41	15	73	4
1934	174	22588	130	5495	11	165	3	-	-	-	-
1935	167	22863	137	5655	38	1557	29	101	14	-	-
1936	189	23278	123	6799	17	1565	19	212	17	-	-
1937	179	22800	127	7067	52	2770	52	611	9	-	-
1938	167	22765	136	6765	41	3095	35	333	24	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	176	22742	129	6598	39	2410	32	173	15	21	16

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	263	15	33	8	31	225	-	10	1829
1930	17	10	476	12	191	93	-	40	2909
1931	21	19	324	19	412	50	-	35	3237
1932	4	12	235	24	148	-	-	42	2996
1933	13	27	486	23	215	10	-	45	3188
1934	10	14	776	15	102	20	-	22	3894
1935	46	12	2218	16	875	25	-	85	3508
1936	38	12	1031	16	105	-	-	111	2587-
1937	168	20	1312	21	287	-	-	100	1984
1938	122	22	1214	20	165	201	15	142	2169
10 Yr. Ave.	70	18	810	18	253	62	2	63	2830

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	11160	13	659	-	-	1750
1930	-	7045	45	1025	20	52	151
1931	-	7331	56	863	-	3	23
1932	-	7434	22	845	-	89	-
1933	-	6871	18	751	-	30	-
1934	-	7226	153	813	-	4	3950
1935	-	7560	257	912	-	22	152
1936	-	9212	-	869	-	-	860
1937	-	7466	112	891	-	43	89
1938	-	7305	141	1043	-	42	350
10 Yr. Ave.	0	7861	82	867	2	28	733

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 4

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Flaxseed 4 Popcorn .1

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 10
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Salem Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	139	22016	158	3983	36	1349	36	235	16	26	17
1930	142	21851	154	3980	30	1471	35	254	21	-	-
1931	149	21469	144	4067	37	1546	32	252	20	6	10
1932	143	22028	154	4949	43	1641	30	145	10	-	-
1933	144	21484	149	4300	38	1767	20	56	10	-	-
1934	141	20993	149	3219	12	364	7	43	13	-	-
1935	137	21364	156	2875	35	731	26	171	14	-	-
1936	135	21439	159	3589	11	1019	16	244	10	-	-
1937	135	22012	163	3871	48	1635	50	334	13	-	-
1938	139	21417	154	3739	44	1820	37	314	22	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	140	21607	154	3857	37	1334	32	205	16	3	16

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	5	20	203	17	165	747	-	83	3094
1930	16	12	350	13	125	313	-	72	2488
1931	-	-	199	18	318	425	-	72	2682
1932	-	-	127	22	77	373	-	75	2470
1933	12	8	304	21	103	313	-	72	2646
1934	-	-	709	12	163	307	-	92	2972
1935	24	10	806	14	828	238	-	139	2763
1936	12	14	339	11	94	26	-	283	2749
1937	128	15	325	18	386	-	-	136	2066
1938	140	17	409	20	379	286	-	214	1793
10 Yr. Ave.	34	15	377	16	264	303	0	124	2572

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Tim- ber only Acres	Waste- land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	12100	26	756	36	-	38
1930	-	12013	57	584	81	3	429
1931	-	11206	15	751	85	12	330
1932	-	11506	6	867	186	-	54
1933	-	11182	14	899	138	15	48
1934	-	11431	27	843	42	-	1180
1935	-	11439	125	911	95	50	546
1936	-	12066	77	914	106	8	222
1937	-	12138	36	787	84	-	222
1938	-	11779	77	800	20	-	147
10 Yr. Ave.	0	11686	46	811	87	9	322

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 2

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Popcorn 0 Flaxseed 5

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture.

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 11
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Scott Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreages in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	147	21728	148	8360	40	3709	33	239	19	53	20
1930	147	21180	144	8134	36	3462	33	160	20	14	19
1931	151	21537	143	8567	42	3359	35	140	21	-	-
1932	154	21647	141	8791	53	4056	37	23	16	-	-
1933	156	21701	139	8394	48	3326	29	39	20	5	16
1934	149	20885	140	5960	24	1027	8	10	17	-	-
1935	150	21321	142	6352	44	1543	31	60	20	-	-
1936	143	21197	148	7903	24	2264	22	194	20	-	-
1937	139	20809	150	8123	63	2641	65	639	17	-	-
1938	143	22029	154	8099	50	2970	36	390	20	17	35
10 Yr. Ave.	148	21403	145	7868	44	2836	35	189	19	9	23

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	-	-	151	23	50	-	-	15	2050
1930	-	-	558	16	35	40	-	23	2055
1931	-	-	362	21	137	10	-	15	2274
1932	-	-	200	27	98	22	-	56	2058
1933	-	-	742	21	55	79	-	108	2794
1934	4	20	1004	21	25	16	-	202	3241
1935	6	8	1801	20	648	52	-	224	3343
1936	5	10	1079	23	29	-	-	290	2051
1937	18	20	1792	26	137	-	-	177	1376
1938	10	20	2039	24	29	13	-	29	1573
10 Yr. Ave.	4	17	973	22	124	23	0	114	2282

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lts., Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	5810	11	1176	10	75	34
1930	-	5322	2	1287	29	122	-
1931	-	5303	10	1230	93	62	-
1932	-	5110	10	1197	10	39	55
1933	4	4988	69	1160	23	68	34
1934	-	5756	98	1113	16	38	2593
1935	-	5322	405	1107	15	64	655
1936	-	5913	75	1196	-	41	447
1937	-	4765	71	1144	-	31	72
1938	-	5169	3	1256	25	131	318
10 Yr. Ave.	.4	5346	75	1187	22	67	421

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 1
 Flaxseed 42 Popcorn .1
 (Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 12
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Tippecanoe Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	140	22508	161	4122	38	1831	26	438	16	16	23
1930	143	22382	157	3934	25	1807	30	451	17	-	-
1931	134	22274	166	4152	38	1662	28	454	17	-	-
1932	131	22247	170	4124	45	1626	30	340	18	-	-
1933	136	22218	163	4024	41	1656	20	291	16	-	-
1934	148	22273	150	3291	22	738	6	210	13	-	-
1935	157	20570	131	2833	32	727	25	258	14	-	-
1936	156	20646	132	3284	13	949	11	427	13	-	-
1937	149	20559	138	4181	53	1076	48	782	16	-	-
1938	149	20962	141	3358	38	1652	32	711	20	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	144	21664	150	3730	38	1372	27	436	17	2	23

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	12	12	23	18	27	1146	-	26	2981
1930	22	12	170	10	50	320	-	43	2486
1931	7	10	41	12	175	521	-	69	2395
1932	12	17	4	25	47	345	-	55	2583
1933	10	15	64	22	13	262	-	85	2694
1934	-	-	81	8	-	68	-	120	2934
1935	109	11	261	14	140	506	-	261	3194
1936	56	9	69	11	-	-	-	205	2235
1937	111	16	64	18	21	-	-	295	1932
1938	115	13	130	17	181	242	-	234	2122
10 Yr. Ave.	45	12	81	14	65	341	0	139	2556

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	11238	76	809	302	474	159
1930	-	10817	74	942	256	761	612
1931	-	11110	11	1074	114	706	373
1932	-	11155	5	1344	471	437	99
1933	-	10968	4	1342	476	439	237
1934	-	11745	151	1264	40	220	1599
1935	-	10950	72	713	216	154	1040
1936	-	12210	11	783	25	56	541
1937	-	11443	8	609	100	157	75
1938	-	11514	35	681	218	60	185
10 Yr. Ave.	0	11315	45	956	222	346	492

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 0

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Popcorn .4 Flaxseed 0 Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture.

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops") Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 13
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Trenton Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreages in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	157	21550	137	4464	36	1783	26	218	16	5	18
1930	150	22462	150	4007	26	1822	26	203	18	-	-
1931	148	22439	152	4782	35	1585	29	346	21	-	-
1932	145	22456	155	5045	43	1721	30	299	17	-	-
1933	146	22283	153	4797	39	1697	16	199	18	12	5
1934	149	22206	149	3765	18	502	6	238	15	-	-
1935	145	22746	157	3765	32	844	21	401	15	-	-
1936	146	22464	154	3888	13	728	9	180	11	-	-
1937	146	22480	154	4366	42	1293	44	737	18	-	-
1938	140	22158	158	4532	38	2014	22	571	17	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	147	22324	152	4341	34	1399	25	339	17	2	9

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	36	7	5	11	2	911	-	8	2754
1930	25	12	7	20	61	160	-	38	2587
1931	26	8	78	10	42	515	-	19	2374
1932	-	-	6	12	21	734	-	42	2450
1933	-	-	21	21	5	513	-	41	2554
1934	8	5	-	-	-	149	-	64	3309
1935	31	12	109	16	65	54	-	84	3247
1936	28	9	85	7	15	43	-	87	2434
1937	73	17	6	16	36	-	-	102	2184
1938	110	8	197	19	-	294	-	110	2343
10 Yr. Ave.	34	11	51	15	25	337	0	60	2624

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	11274	15	539	-	405	-
1930	-	11841	12	526	20	209	1142
1931	-	12302	-	611	-	278	15
1932	-	11952	12	595	-	319	36
1933	-	12205	15	589	-	189	-
1934	-	12496	132	630	912	174	40
1935	-	12098	87	747	-	374	978
1936	50	13931	2	730	-	350	43
1937	-	12692	-	731	344	18	-
1938	-	11573	-	750	60	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	5	12237	28	650	134	232	225

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 0
Flaxseed 2 Popcorn 0
(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 14
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Wayne Township

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	174	21852	126	9054	45	4052	41	149	17	-	-
1930	179	21894	122	8705	39	3839	41	171	29	5	27
1931	179	22189	124	9132	46	3861	46	53	33	8	40
1932	174	22197	128	9400	56	3725	43	106	23	5	40
1933	170	22247	131	9087	51	3655	32	100	22	36	21
1934	176	22193	126	7174	25	1110	9	115	17	-	-
1935	173	22286	129	7552	50	2267	34	93	21	-	-
1936	166	21471	129	8746	25	2292	22	182	20	-	-
1937	166	21564	130	9092	66	3306	65	512	21	5	10
1938	171	21773	127	8780	53	3401	35	458	20	8	30
10 Yr. Ave.	173	21967	127	8688	47	3151	40	194	21	7	25

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Hay Acres
1929	-	-	118	21	-	-	-	41	2329
1930	-	-	349	19	38	-	-	32	2669
1931	-	-	204	22	48	-	-	46	2747
1932	-	-	74	22	21	-	-	50	2596
1933	-	-	259	19	28	-	-	99	2922
1934	-	-	450	17	70	42	-	85	3527
1935	25	11	893	21	426	8	-	109	3441
1936	17	17	614	21	17	12	-	137	2851
1937	40	24	1116	24	73	-	-	159	1729
1938	34	22	1006	23	36	-	-	119	1911
10 Yr. Ave.	12	20	508	22	76	6	0	88	2672

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	5251	-	899	-	-	-
1930	-	5183	10	905	-	-	20
1931	-	5284	15	837	-	-	-
1932	-	5165	-	944	-	-	-
1933	-	5211	52	894	-	-	3
1934	-	6296	57	1123	-	-	2271
1935	-	5686	141	1034	-	8	720
1936	-	5678	1	959	-	-	114
1937	-	4522	10	1040	-	-	119
1938	-	4807	31	1140	-	-	161
10 Yr. Ave.	0	5308	32	978	0	1	341

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 4

*Included in "All Tame Hay".

Popcorn 0 Flaxseed 21

Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture.

(Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops")

Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 15
LAND UTILIZATION AND YIELDS

Total Incorporated Town Data - Coppock, Hillsboro, Mount Pleasant, Rome, Salem, Wayland, Winfield

Year	No. Farms	Acreage in Farms	Ave. Farm Size	CORN		OATS		WIN. WHEAT		BARLEY	
				Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.
1929	45	1183	26	302	37	120	24	40	23	-	-
1930	57	1268	22	273	39	152	35	22	19	-	-
1931	57	1348	24	336	42	157	35	35	14	-	-
1932	59	1397	24	341	49	182	33	6	13	-	-
1933	56	1288	23	297	39	172	31	31	26	-	-
1934	75	1590	21	308	18	50	8	24	2	-	-
1935	79	1511	19	262	37	68	26	22	13	-	-
1936	70	1572	22	359	22	100	21	43	15	-	-
1937	72	1542	21	355	64	87	51	10	14	-	-
1938	69	1505	22	325	44	124	34	26	22	-	-
10 Yr. Ave.	64	1420	22	316	41	121	31	26	17	-	-

Year	RYE		SOYBEANS		GRASS SEED			TAME HAY	
	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Acres	Ave. Yld.	Timothy Acres	Red & Als. Clo. Acres*	Sweet Clover Acres	Alfalfa Acres*	All Tame Acres
1929	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	23	175
1930	-	-	15	8	-	10	-	-	116
1931	-	-	16	11	12	4	-	-	112
1932	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	172
1933	-	-	5	21	-	19	-	-	159
1934	-	-	15	10	4	4	-	28	237
1935	4	6	7	15	4	-	-	2	202
1936	-	-	-	-	4	7	-	16	115
1937	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	10	96
1938	-	-	24	10	-	-	-	22	109
10 Yr. Ave.	.4	6	8	11	3	5	-	10	149

Year	Wild Hay Acres	All Pasture Acres	All Other Crops Acres	Bldgs., Feed Lots, Highways Acres	Wood Lots for Timber Only Acres	Waste-land Acres	Idle Crop Land Acres
1929	-	435	6	98	-	7	-
1930	-	550	7	100	-	-	33
1931	-	545	7	115	13	-	-
1932	-	588	7	88	-	13	-
1933	-	463	19	122	-	10	10
1934	-	703	12	130	-	43	64
1935	-	776	27	130	-	-	9
1936	-	806	16	111	-	-	18
1937	-	818	16	110	5	20	18
1938	-	740	28	127	-	-	2
10 Yr. Ave.	-	642	14	113	2	9	15

10 Yr. Ave. Acres - Spring Wheat 3 *Included in "All Tame Hay."
 Popcorn .4 Flaxseed 0 Source: Iowa Department of Agriculture.
 (Acreages also shown in "All Other Crops.") Division of Agricultural Statistics.

TABLE 16
COUNTY LIVESTOCK NUMBERS
January 1

Year	All Cattle*	Milk Cows	Horses	Mules	Sheep	Hogs
1870	20286	7500	10730	869	-	62669
1880	25912	8037	10547	765	15974	41242
1890	36807	8907	13659	322	12680	44873
1900	31586	6723	10383	580	3487	51319
1910	29115	7211	14443	567	26499	47648
1920	31030	6883	10957	799	22262	64146
1925	29337	7382	8640	941	20744	63530
1930	30228	9905	8906	747	27234	78017
1935	32556	11599	6931	625	25870	42551
1936	34230	11433	6837	641	32628	51149
1937	29981	10741	6506	628	27129	44240
1938	30808	10821	6397	506	31813	52097
1939	30398	10757	6092	483	31891	62038

The figures in this table for the years 1870-1935 inclusive have been derived from the Federal Censuses for Iowa. These enumerations have been made as of different dates. Some enumerations were for a base date of January 1, others for a base date of April 1, and others for June 1.

The census enumerations made in 1920, 1925 and 1935 were for January 1. For comparability the enumerations made for the base dates of April 1 and June 1 were adjusted to an equivalent January 1 base. This adjustment procedure places the livestock data of the above table on the one inventory date of January 1.

The figures for 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939 for all cattle and milk cows are estimates of the Division of Agricultural Statistics of the Iowa Department of Agriculture and those for horses, mules, hogs and sheep are adjusted state farm assessor's figures.

The adjusted county figures for horses, mules, hogs and sheep for the last four years in the table are more nearly accurate than those in Table 17 and comparison with these figures will provide an estimate of the bias displayed by the unadjusted state farm assessor's figures.

*Includes Milk Cows.

TABLE 17
LIVESTOCK NUMBERS
By Townships

Township	1936					1937				
	Horses	Mules	Cattle	Sheep	Hogs	Horses	Mules	Cattle	Sheep	Hogs
Baltimore	369	28	1658	1219	1377	343	16	1355	1555	983
Canaan	637	63	2485	1061	4437	552	53	2065	726	4526
Center	448	46	2957	1243	3525	410	47	1736	1378	2462
Jackson	480	33	2332	3048	1914	487	38	2083	2643	1665
Jefferson	625	57	3575	714	3888	641	63	3037	749	3793
Marion	558	27	3423	1893	4604	485	35	2337	1656	8501
New London	516	61	2620	1843	3091	541	57	2157	1263	3036
Salem	488	57	2200	4352	1773	465	52	1774	3776	1920
Scott	587	39	2613	1412	4516	499	35	2094	721	3917
Tippecanoe	464	26	2214	2185	2072	421	32	1543	1367	1432
Trenton	516	31	2242	1245	1622	478	30	1840	748	141
Wayne	616	58	4059	954	6836	561	64	2767	1021	5537
ALL TOWNS	40	-	271	27	165	43	-	194	149	60
COUNTY	6344	526	32649	21196	39820	5926	522	24982	17752	32973
Township	1938					1939				
	Horses	Mules	Cattle	Sheep	Hogs	Horses	Mules	Cattle	Sheep	Hogs
Baltimore	345	19	1415	1341	1538	334	15	1384	1121	1901
Canaan	506	34	1937	1172	4728	476	26	1982	956	5652
Center	459	43	2168	1641	2261	437	59	2530	1728	3114
Jackson	475	31	1885	3098	2137	460	27	2115	2722	2550
Jefferson	634	69	3648	899	4016	606	67	3300	1553	5178
Marion	513	23	2461	2311	4280	489	27	2337	1891	5502
New London	545	45	1901	2566	3637	516	39	2101	1651	4740
Salem	462	34	1792	3888	2318	457	42	1852	5352	3197
Scott	470	27	2349	557	4304	447	18	2594	889	5734
Tippecanoe	424	23	1756	1779	1936	462	25	2212	1872	3083
Trenton	420	25	1494	915	217	386	20	1476	1016	1617
Wayne	583	57	2876	1903	6367	517	46	2866	2148	6922
ALL TOWNS	44	-	214	31	143	35	2	200	27	202
COUNTY	5880	430	25896	22101	37882	5622	413	26939	22926	49392

The statistics in this table are biased downward. They are printed only to permit inter-township and inter-annual comparisons. Unless townships are equal in size, comparisons may not be directly made. It is assumed that individual assessors are subject to approximately the same bias. Compare Table 16 for the magnitude of the bias.

Source: Division of Agricultural Statistics.
Iowa Department of Agriculture.

TABLE 18
CREAMERY STATISTICS
1917-1938

Year	Number of Creameries in County	Butter Made	Butter Sold in Iowa	Butter Sold Out of Iowa
		Thousand Pounds	Thousand Pounds	Thousand Pounds
1917	1	400	36	*
1918	1	15	*	*
1919	1	14	*	*
1920	1	22	21	*
1921	1	29	29	*
1922	1	26	26	*
1923	1	52	50	2
1924	2	55	52	3
1925	2	141	102	39
1926	1	202	127	75
1927	1	218	*	*
1928	1	280	127	152
1929	2	531	244	287
1930	2	936	171	765
1931	2	543	177	366
1932	2	746	63	683
1933	2	785	274	511
1934	2	837	84	753
1935	2	677	78	599
1936	2	599	264	335
1937	2	486	206	280
1938	3	568	97	470

The sum of the two columns "Butter Sold in Iowa" and "Butter Sold out of Iowa" is not intended to equal the second column, "Butter Made", because stocks of butter on hand at the end of the year and butter used for miscellaneous purposes are not included in this table.

Source: Division of Agricultural Statistics.
Iowa Department of Agriculture.

*Not given in source

TABLE 19
CHICKENS AND EGGS
1880-1935

Year	Chickens Number	Eggs Produced Dozen
1880	124,241	550,113
1885	126,056	365,317
1890	268,070	1,023,794
1895	223,019	989,851
1900	227,028	1,529,150
1905	255,723	1,226,316
1910	294,514	1,486,501
1915	267,239	1,082,101
1920	266,161	1,247,358
1925	266,402	1,296,255
1930	272,267	1,373,452
1935	252,756	1,371,456

Source: U. S. & Iowa State Census.

TABLE 20
NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING SPECIFIED ITEMS

Year	Number of Farms	GRAIN CROPS								
		Corn	Oats	Winter Wheat	Spring Wheat	Barley	Rye	Buck-wheat	Soy-beans	Flax-seed
1930	1870	1657	1294	289	6	14	23	7	268	0
1932	1842	1697	1313	196	5	9	6	0	132	0
1934	1875	1673	405	133	1	0	6	27	383	8
1936	1872	1663	917	314	0	1	32	1/	389	3
1938	1852	1684	1341	428	4	6	95	1/	544	0
Average	1862	1675	1054	272	3	6	32	11	343	2
Year	Pop-Corn	HAY CROPS								
		Clover and Timothy	Alfalfa	Soy-bean	Grain Cut Green	Clover	Timothy	Sudan Grass	Other Tame Hay	Wild Hay
1930	2	807	65	448	1/	452	307	8	320	0
1932	2	571	103	325	72	640	233	9	429	0
1934	1	534	141	987	169	667	200	9	892	0
1936	0	1143	255	393	188	1/	1/	1/	50	3
1938	0	934	271	635	117	1/	1/	1/	64	1
Average	1	804	167	558	136	586	247	9	351	1
Year	GRASS SEED				LIVESTOCK					
	Timothy	Clover Red & Alsike	Sweet Clover	All Pasture	Horses	Mules	Cattle	Sheep	Hogs	Sows for Sp. Farrow
1930	70	131	0	1833	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1362
1932	50	130	0	1789	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1394
1934	34	70	0	1811	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1186
1936	23	19	2	1697	1467	220	1606	621	1360	1163
1938	91	195	3	1650	1446	190	1639	660	1462	1330
Average	54	119	1	1756	1456	205	1622	640	1411	1287
Year	EQUIPMENT				MISCELLANEOUS					Other Crops
	Trac-tors	Trucks	Autos	Radios	Pota-toes	Apples	Timber and Wood	Waste-land	Idle Crop Land	
1930	495	243	1560	911	279	139	34	106	118	26
1932	425	151	1459	639	136	112	52	98	22	10
1934	462	144	1531	838	26	104	28	104	897	59
1936	662	144	1491	1128	653	26	12	35	343	61
1938	814	175	1550	1256	1/	1/	16	97	256	75
Average	572	171	1518	954	274	95	23	96	327	46

1/ Not given in sources.

Source: Division of Agricultural Statistics.
Iowa Department of Agriculture.

TABLE 21
FARM AND LAND TENURE

Year	OWNERS				PART-OWNERS			
	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farm Acres	% of Total	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farm Acres	% of Total
1929	971	52.1	124851	47.6	174	9.3	32817	12.5
1930	961	51.5	120795	45.9	173	9.2	35505	13.4
1932	895	47.9	112919	42.7	159	8.5	32587	12.3
1934	890	46.4	110711	42.0	178	9.3	34897	13.2
1936	815	43.4	101377	38.5	173	9.5	35944	13.7
1938	821	44.3	103570	39.5	187	10.1	33483	14.6
1928-38 Average	892	47.6	112371	42.6	175	9.3	35005	13.3

Year	TENANTS				TOTALS			
	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farm Acres	% of Total	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farm Acres	% of Total
1928	721	38.6	104578	39.9	1866	100	262246	100
1930	740	39.5	107203	40.7	1874	100	263301	100
1932	815	43.6	118886	45.0	1867	100	264392	100
1934	848	44.3	118235	44.3	1916	100	263843	100
1936	832	47.1	125807	47.3	1873	100	263128	100
1938	844	45.6	121650	46.1	1852	100	263703	100
1928-38 Average	808	43.1	116060	44.1	1875	100	263436	100

Source: Division of Agricultural Statistics.
Iowa Department of Agriculture.

TABLE 22
YEARS OF TENURE
January 1, 1935

Owners	Henry County		State of Iowa	
	Number of Farms	Per Cent of County Total	Number of Farms	Per Cent of State Total
On present farm less than 1 year	41	4.7	4442	5.2
1 year	30	3.4	3198	3.8
2 years	27	3.1	3282	3.8
3 years	22	2.5	2857	3.4
4 years	28	3.2	3228	3.8
5-9 years	118	13.4	11726	13.8
10-14 years	114	12.9	11279	13.2
15 years and over	500	56.8	45076	53.0
TOTALS	880	100.0	85088	100.0
Tenants				
On present farm less than 1 year	200	22.5	21763	20.1
1 year	131	14.7	15053	13.9
2 years	92	10.4	11555	10.7
3 years	64	7.2	8285	7.7
4 years	50	5.6	7564	7.0
5 years and over	352	39.6	43826	40.6
TOTALS	889	100.0	108046	100.0

Source: U. S. Agricultural Census.

TABLE 23
FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION OF FARMS BY SIZE CLASSES

Acres in Farms	Number of Farms									
	1928		1930		1932		1934		1936	
	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farms	% of Total	No. of Farms	% of Total
0-9	35	1.88	55	2.94	46	2.46	63	3.29	63	3.36
10-29	91	4.88	103	5.50	92	4.93	104	5.43	94	5.02
30-49	112	6.00	108	5.76	105	5.62	106	5.53	109	5.82
50-69	108	5.79	107	5.71	96	5.14	101	5.27	98	5.23
70-109	458	24.54	451	24.07	471	25.23	462	24.11	448	23.92
110-149	364	19.51	344	18.36	344	18.42	360	18.79	366	19.54
150-189	332	17.79	332	17.72	332	17.78	337	17.59	344	18.37
190-229	145	7.77	146	7.79	138	7.39	135	7.05	123	6.57
230-269	89	4.77	95	5.07	97	5.20	102	5.32	91	4.86
270-309	56	3.00	48	2.56	53	2.84	49	2.56	49	2.62
310-349	32	1.71	36	1.92	41	2.20	43	2.24	32	1.71
350-389	12	.64	15	.80	14	.75	14	.73	14	.75
390-429	8	.43	10	.53	10	.54	13	.68	15	.80
430-469	8	.43	6	.32	9	.48	4	.21	9	.48
470-509	5	.27	4	.21	4	.21	10	.52	6	.32
510-549	1	.05	1	.05	5	.27	3	.16	4	.21
550-589	1	.05	1	.05	2	.11	4	.21	2	.11
590-629	2	.11	3	.16	3	.16	0	0	1	.05
630-669	1	.05	1	.05	1	.05	0	0	1	.05
670-709	1	.05	3	.16	2	.11	2	.10	0	0
710-over	5	.27	5	.27	2	.11	4	.21	4	.21
Total Farms	1866	100.00	1874	100.00	1867	100.00	1916	100.00	1873	100.00
									1852	100.00

Source: Division of Agricultural Statistics.
Iowa Department of Agriculture.

TABLE 24
AUTOS, TRUCKS, TRACTORS, AND RADIOS
1926-39

Year	Automobiles	Trucks	Tractors	Radios
1926	1858	151	336	442
1927	1843	164	373	623
1928	1876	190	413	715
1929	1873	220	452	737
1930	1938	235	499	812
1931	1907	245	517	915
1932	1835	217	516	914
1933	1685	156	461	652
1934	1686	171	500	684
1935	1708	153	515	862
1936	1631	170	608	1022
1937	1638	149	693	1140
1938	1639	161	829	1229
1939	1652	175	842	1401

Source: Division of Agricultural Statistics.
Iowa Department of Agriculture.

TABLE 25
ACREAGE OWNED BY CORPORATIONS
January 1, 1937

Township	Insurance Companies	Banks	Land & Mtg. Companies	Fed. Land Banks	Joint Stock Land Banks	Others	Total	% Farm Land Corporate Owned
Baltimore	-	407	-	401	-	-	808	4.65
Jackson	475	140	80	596	200	156	1647	7.77
Salem	485	-	-	261	-	-	746	3.49
New London	-	-	20	-	-	-	20	.09
Center	700	-	462	116	-	96	1374	6.80
Tippecanoe	590	540	-	560	-	981	2671	12.09
Canaan	-	-	-	-	-	82	82	.35
Marion	319	-	280	628	280	40	1547	6.97
Trenton & Pleasant	240	167	444	412	201	180	1644	7.41
Scott	313	1043	130	157	-	-	1643	7.55
Wayne	268	-	-	-	-	-	268	1.16
Jefferson	103	133	-	-	-	240	476	1.95
Total	3493	2430	1416	3131	681	1775	12926	4.93

Source: Department of Economics & Sociology,
Iowa State College.

TABLE 26
ACREAGE OWNED BY CORPORATIONS
January 1, 1939

Township	Insurance Companies	Banks	Land & Mtg. Companies	Fed. Land Banks	Joint Stock Land Banks	Others	Total	% Farm Land Corporate Owned
Baltimore	-	407	-	432	-	670	1509	8.69
Jackson	579	140	-	356	200	156	1431	6.75
Salem	485	-	-	261	30	146	922	4.32
New London	80	-	-	-	-	-	80	.35
Center	631	-	27	216	-	96	970	4.80
Tippecanoe	590	90	-	510	-	1257	2447	11.08
Canaan	-	-	-	-	-	82	82	.35
Marion	319	-	480	118	280	80	1277	5.76
Pleasant & Trenton	240	248	444	583	-	278	1793	8.08
Scott	503	1095	-	-	-	-	1598	7.34
Wayne	268	145	-	-	-	-	413	1.78
Jefferson	182	-	-	-	-	240	422	1.73
Total	3877	2125	951	2476	510	3005	12944	4.93

Source: Department of Economics & Sociology.
Iowa State College.

TABLE 27
VALUE OF FARM LAND AND BUILDINGS
1880-1935

Year	Number of Farms*	Number of Acres*	Value of Land	Value of Buildings	Value of Land and Buildings	Value of Land & Bldgs.	
						Per Acre	Per Farm
1880	2,244	270,267	-	-	8,279,291	30.63	3,690
1890	2,152	259,130	-	-	8,349,330	32.22	3,880
1900	2,252	271,588	10,728,740	2,506,750	13,235,490	48.73	5,877
1910	2,145	263,749	27,436,176	4,787,866	32,224,042	122.18	15,023
1920	1,989	252,368	49,015,925	7,442,390	56,458,315	223.71	28,385
1925	1,894	251,264	28,452,886	8,002,471	36,455,357	145.09	19,248
1930	1,975	262,397	23,684,595	8,895,584	32,580,179	124.16	16,496
1935	2,060	261,228	-	-	19,197,460	73.49	9,319

Source: United States Census

*Differences in numbers of farms and acres reported in this table and in other tables in this bulletin are due to differences in sources of data.

TABLE 28
REAL PROPERTY AND MONEYS AND CREDITS TAXES
COLLECTIBLE IN 1939, FOR ALL PURPOSES
(Exclusive of Special Assessments)

	Cities and Towns	Rural Districts	Total for County
General State Tax	\$ 7,178.52	\$ 27,754.90	\$ 34,933.42
Soldiers' Bonus Tax	3,798.72	5,610.00	9,408.72
General County Tax	7,734.96	29,905.03	37,639.99
Court Expense Tax	2,688.70	10,395.62	13,084.32
Poor Tax	5,384.81	20,819.76	26,204.57
Insane Tax, State Hospital	2,990.74	11,563.35	14,554.09
Insane Tax, County Hospital	-	-	-
County School Tax	898.67	3,474.68	4,373.35
Soldiers' Relief Tax	898.67	3,474.68	4,373.35
General County Bond Tax	-	-	-
Court House Tax	-	-	-
Emergency Tax	3,587.41	13,870.38	17,457.79
Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication	-	-	-
Secondary Roads - Construction	3,587.38	13,870.42	17,457.80
Secondary Roads - Maintenance	4,486.07	45,826.31	50,312.38
District School Tax	85,683.82	155,623.87	241,307.69
City Tax	36,526.11	-	36,526.11
Miscellaneous Taxes	1,406.97	6,524.72	7,931.69
Total	166,851.55	348,713.72	515,565.27*

*Includes special one mill tax on moneys and credits for Soldiers' Bonus Bonds.

Source: 1939 Report,
State Board of Assessment and Review.

TABLE 29
NUMBER OF SCHOOLS BY TYPE

Type of School	Number of Schools		
	1928-29	1933-34	1938-39
1. Kindergarten	4	4	3
2. 1 room rural elementary	69	64	61
3. 2 or more-room rural elementary	1	1	1
4. Elementary, not rural	17	14	13
5. Separately organized Jr. High	1	-	-
6. Jr.-Sr. High, one organization	-	-	-
7. Separately organized Sr. High	1	-	-
8. Regular High, 4 years or less	8	9	9
9. Junior College	-	-	-
Total Number of Schools	101	92	87

TABLE 30
ENROLLMENT IN SCHOOLS BY TYPE

Type of School	Enrollment in Schools		
	1928-29	1933-34	1938-39
1. Kindergarten	97	98	72
2. One room rural elementary	1069	1028	813
3. Two or more-room rural elementary	55	43	26
4. Elementary, not rural	1728	1693	1624
5. * Jr.-Sr. High, 1 organization	418	-	-
6. Regular High, 4 years or less	586	1040	972
7. Junior College	-	-	-
Total Enrollment in all Schools	3953	3902	3507

*Includes enrollment for school Types 5, 6 and 7 in Table 29. Source: Annual Report of County Superintendents to State Department of Public Instruction.

TABLE 31
MILES OF ROADS BY TYPES
January 1939

Type of Surface	Primary Roads Outside Corp.	Secondary Roads		Total Mileage in Road System
		County Trunk	Local County	
Earth				
Unimproved	-	3.90	550.42	554.32
Improved	-	-	-	-
Surfaced				
Soil Surfaced	-	-	-	-
Shale	-	-	-	-
Gravel	15.8	-	-	15.8
Stone	-	105.54	61.53	167.07
Paved				
Bituminous	8.9	-	-	8.9
Concrete	40.8	-	-	40.8
Brick	-	-	-	-
County Total	65.5	109.44	611.95	786.89

Source: Annual Report
Iowa Highway Commission, 1938.